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1. Carlos Castillo Ibarra, Nicaraguan revolutionary leader of the Patriotic Nicaraguan Committee, stated on 14 January that Jose Figueres, President of the Costa Rican governing Junta, would attempt a final showdown during the weekend of 15-17 January, and try to take complete control of the government. If he fails, Castillo Ibarra said, he will retire to private life.
2. Castillo Ibarra did not know the form the projected coup d'etat would take, but said he expected the use of force.

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